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RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby respond to the Office Action mailed August 2, 2004. Applicants appreciate the time and effort by the Examiner in reviewing this application.

In the Action, the Examiner alleges that the application contains claims three distinct species. Applicant elects with traverse Species A, which Examiner states to be disclosed in FIGURES 1A through 1D

Applicant respectfully requests a two-month extension of time to respond to this restriction/election, to and including January 3, 2005.

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